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37 C.F.R. 41.39(b)(2) AND 37 C.F.R. 41.37

Sir:

This Appellant's Brief is further to the Notice of Appeal filed on September 1, 2006, the Appellant's Brief filed on November 1, 2006 and the Examiner's Answer dated January 24, 2007.

In response to the Examiner's Answer dated January 24, 2007, the Appellant exercises the option prescribed by 37 C.F.R. 41.39(b)(2) and hereby requests that the Appeal be

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